

GERMANY DESIRES FRIENDSHIP WITH U. S. TO CONTINUE

WILSON HEARS NEXT MESSAGE
FROM BERLIN WILL BE
FAVORABLE.

STILL HOPES FOR DISAVOWAL

Administration Is Hopeful Germany
Will Disavow Sinking of
the Arabic.

(Associated Press)
Berlin, Aug. 25.—U. S. Ambassador Gerard called on the Berlin foreign office today and learned that the government had no official news concerning the sinking of the Arabic.
The officials made it clear that they had no intention of flouting the United States.

(Associated Press)
Washington, Aug. 25.—Friends of German Ambassador Count von Bernstorff have informed President Wilson that Germany desires to maintain friendly relations with the United States and that the next message from Berlin will be favorable in its character.

Hope for Disavowal.
In the meantime the administration is hopeful that a disavowal in connection with the sinking of the Arabic will be forthcoming from Germany.

Situation Looks Better.
Senator Simmons, who saw President Wilson today, said the situation looked much better as a result of the message of Count Bernstorff.

"The German ambassador received the following instructions from Berlin, which he communicated to the department of state:

"So far no official information is available concerning the sinking of the Arabic. The German government trusts that the American government will not take a definite stand after hearing only the reports of one side, which in the opinion of the imperial government cannot correspond with the facts but that a chance will be given to Germany to be heard equally.

"Although the imperial government does not doubt the good faith of the witnesses whose statements are reported by the newspapers in Europe it should be borne in mind that these statements are naturally made under excitement which might easily produce wrong impressions.

"If Americans should actually have lost their lives, this would naturally be contrary to our intentions. The German government would deeply regret the fact and begs to tender sincerest sympathies to the American government."

Admiralty Reserves Judgment.
Berlin, Aug. 25.—(Via Amsterdam.)—The judgment of the German admiralty with regard to the sinking of the Arabic will be reserved pending the receipt of an official report according to the Overseas News agency which gave out the following item:

"In any event, the Arabic was a British ship, within the war zone, and was on the way to obtain another cargo of war material. She carried a large amount of gold in payment of war supplies.

"The fact that most of the passengers and crew were saved, and that there was ample time to lower the boats, shows that there was no catastrophe. If it is true that some of the passengers were drowned, it is very regrettable, but this likely was due to leaky boats, as in previous cases,

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REV. STODDARD WILL PREACH HERE SUNDAY

FORMER STREATOR PASTOR TO
OCCUPY PULPIT AT BAPTIST CHURCH

On Sunday, Aug. 29th, Rev. George W. Stoddard, former pastor at Streator, Ill., will speak both morning and evening in the Baptist church. It may be remembered that Mr. Stoddard spoke in the Baptist church on July 25th and was well liked by those who heard him.

During his three years' stay in Streator Mr. Stoddard participated in every public movement, and has given his time and money generously to the different enterprises that would make for a better city. He was most active in the Y. M. C. A. campaign for funds, he organized the Boy Scouts, which was a great success, and spent much time furthering the play ground.

Report of Heavy Losses Arouses British People

English Troops Take Turk
Trenches Aviators Bombard
Constantinople

(Associated Press)
Russian aviators bombarded the Asiatic suburbs of Constantinople killing or wounding thirty Turks, eight Greeks and three Armenians and causing a panic, says an Athens report.

Bombarded Offenburg.
A hostile aviator last night dropped bombs on Offenburg, injuring twelve civilians, says Berlin.

Deny Naval Loss.
According to a semi-official announcement from Berlin no German dreadnaught or cruisers were lost or damaged in the recent battle in the Gulf of Riga.

English Public Stirred.
The English public is stirred by reports of the large loss of life in the Dardanelles and the Turkish reports of desperate fighting.

Take Many Trenches.
In the last five days, Paris says, the British have occupied 800 yards of the Turkish trenches. A French aviator has sunk a large Turkish transport.

Break Russ Lines.
The Russian advance positions to the southwest of Brest-Litovsk have been broken through by the Germans according to an official Berlin announcement.

Russians Escaped.
Before the Germans captured Ostswietz the garrison destroyed the fortifications and escaped, Petrograd reports.

Capture 9,000 Russ.
9,000 Russians were captured yesterday, says the Berlin statement.

Big Undersea Fleet.
According to a Copenhagen dispatch the German's undersea fleet now consists of thirty-eight submarines.

SAVE OLD CORN FOR PLANTING NEXT YEAR

THIS IS HINT GIVEN BY SOIL
DIRECTOR OF DEKALB
COUNTY.

IS CHANCE FOR CROP YET

"While there are four or five good weeks left in which a lot can be accomplished still in the way of making corn, my advice to all farmers in this section is to have some last year's corn saved for seed as there is a possibility of this year's crop being soft and not good for seed.

"This is not an assured fact and we have reason to hope the 1915 crop may yet come out all right but if I was a farmer and had a crib full of last year's corn I would think I was mighty lucky."

This significant utterance by W. G. Eckhardt of the DeKalb county soil improvement association ought to be a good hint to the farmers of Lee county to be stirring about and getting good corn for seed if they have not a supply on hand.

While there is a chance that there may yet be a crop the wise farmer is the one who insures himself against a possible shortage in good seed corn by going out now and seeing that he has it in the crib.

LICENSED TO WED.
Polk M. Ritter, Mendota;
Esther E. Moir, Brooklyn.

POLICE COURT BUSY THIS WEEK

Justice Hill Applies Separator To
Three Joyous Jags.

Business has been brisk in the police court this week and a number of offenders have been called before presiding judges. This morning Justice George W. Hill assessed fines of \$5 and costs against Thomas Carroll of this city and George Nelson of Polo. Walter Cosley of Polo was picked up in the south end of town and was holding onto a tree to keep from falling. He was separated from \$10 and cost after hearing his case.

Miss Janette Dodson has gone to Polo to visit her parents.

VIEW OF TOP OF SEA WALL BUILT TO PROTECT CITY OF GALVESTON



TOP OF GALVESTON SEA WALL

In the terrific storm which swept Galveston the wind reached at times the sensational velocity of ninety miles an hour. The sea surged madly over the wall. Thousands of homes have been vacated, and their occupants left the city on overcrowded trains. Galveston's isolation served only to intensify the suspense in other cities as to her fate. But the fact that the wind was blowing from the north and the water, which had backed into the streets, was from the bay side of the island, led to the hope that the gale would not result in a disaster. The storm which devastated Galveston and drowned 8,000 persons on Sept. 8, 1900, tore at the city for twelve hours from a southeasterly direction and piled great seas in upon the frame buildings at the south side of the city, dashing them to kindling and making a floating rum with which to batter away buildings further inland.

STATE BOARDS GOOD FOR ADVISORY DUTY NOT ADMINISTRATOR

GOVERNOR HAMMOND OF MINNE-
SOTA SHOWS REASON FOR
INEFFICIENCY.

HAVE TOO MANY GOVERNORS

Boards and Commissions Prevent
Responsibility, Increase
Expenses.

(Associated Press)
Boston, Mass., Aug. 25.—Gov. Winfield S. Hammond of Minnesota, who addressed the Governors' Conference here today on "Efficiency and Economy in State Government," said that one reason for the present lack of efficiency was that, in effect, most states have several governors instead of one. Enumerating the various state commissions and boards which have come into being as a part of the executive department of a state administration, he said:

"All this has resulted in giving the state not one governor, but a number of governors, one of whom is elected, the others appointed by various commissions and boards. The governor of the state bears about the same relationship to many of these boards as he bears to the courts, and it is fundamental that the executive and the judicial departments shall be independent of each other. If a judge resigns the governor may appoint his successor so if one of these members should resign, the governor could appoint his

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EVIDENCE FAILED TO IMPLICATE GREGORY

CHARGE WAS DISMISSED—TO DE-
CLARE LIZER CHILDREN
DEPENDENT.

After hearing the testimony of several witnesses in the case against Roy Gregory, Magistrate Kent held Tuesday afternoon that the evidence was not such as to implicate the defendant in the charge preferred against him and he was discharged from custody.

From the testimony brought out at the hearing it was quite evident that the two children of Mr. Lizer, Vivian, aged seven years and Harry, aged about six, were in need of a mother's care, having practically no one to look after them while their father was at work during the day in a factory. By an agreement with the father, Attorney Kent today filed a petition in the county court to have the children declared dependent and sent to a suitable home where they might receive proper care. A hearing will be held on the petition within a few days.

TIMBER WOLF SHOT IN MAY TOWNSHIP

JOHN FISHER KILLED ANIMAL
HE DISCOVERED IN HIS
CHICKEN YARD

A fine specimen of a timber wolf was shot Tuesday evening on the farm of John Fisher in May township about five miles from Amboy. Mr. Fisher brought the hide to this city, presented it to the office of County Clerk Fred Dimick and received the bounty of \$5.

Mr. Fisher was returning home about supper time, when his attention was attracted by a commotion in the chicken yard. On going there he discovered several dead chickens and noticed a wolf making off toward a corn field. He gave chase until he got the wolf well into the corn and then returned to the house for his shot gun. He circled about the field until he could get a shot at Mr. Wolf and then blazed away. At the first shot the animal staggered and started for him and he stepped back into the weeds and then fired again, killing him.

POLICE HAVE STOLEN PLUSH ROBE

Was Taken From Thief—Owner Can
Get It From Officers

A plush lap robe is at the police station awaiting the owner. On Monday night one of the routabouts with the circus was discovered with the robe on his arm by one of the managers of the circus and asked where he obtained it. He finally admitted taking it from an automobile. The robe was taken from the man and he was ejected bodily from the show grounds and the robe was turned over to Sergeant Gaffney. So far no one has reported the loss of a robe.

TETANUS IS NOW FEARED

Mrs. Albert Parker of Dixon Is In
Critical Condition

Mrs. Albert Parker of Dixon, formerly Miss Violet Clark of Amboy, who was taken to Chicago hospital August 10 for treatment, has been removed to 221 Racine avenue, Chicago, and it is reported that she is in a critical condition. Blood poison has been existent for the past three weeks and it is feared tetanus will develop. She has been unconscious for three days.

FACTORY CLOSED FOR REPAIRS

Roper Furniture Manufactory Equip-
ment Being Overhauled

The Roper furniture factory is closed for a few days during which repairs are to be made to machinery and boilers. The company is contemplating the erection of a new kiln, the cost of which will be about \$1,000.

GOOD ROAD SPIRIT IN OGLE CO. STRONG; STATE ROAD OPENED

BIG MEETING AND CELEBRATION
HELD AT ANDREWS GROVE
ON TUESDAY.

SHERMAN AND M'KENZIE THERE

Two of Illinois' Prominent Statesmen
Made Addresses During
the Day.

Ogle county has got the "Good Roads Spirit" strong, as was evidenced by the rousing meeting held under the auspices of the Ogle County Good Roads association in Jud Andrews' grove, about five miles out of Oregon on the Rochelle road Tuesday afternoon. Hundreds of automobile loads of "good roads" enthusiasts attended and heard some splendid talks from United States Senator L. Y. Sherman, Congressman John C. McKenzie, James Wilson of the State Highway commission, Supreme Justice James Cartwright and others.

The occasion was the dedication of Ogle county's first piece of state aid road, built under the new Tie Road law and formally opened Tuesday. The road is two miles long, nine feet wide of the best vitrified brick set in a two inch sand cushion on a four and one-half inch concrete base and has a three foot shoulder of macadam on each side. It is an excellent stretch

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ACCUSED CONVICT WILL DEMAND TRIAL

"CHICKEN JOE" CAMPBELL'S AT-
TITUDE CHANGED—IS
DEFIANT.

Joliet, Aug. 25.—"Chicken Joe" Campbell, held as the chief suspect in the slaying of Mrs. Edmund M. Allen, will insist that he be put on trial, whether the grand jury returns an indictment against him or not.

It was two months ago Friday morning that the burned body of Mrs. Allen was found in the ruins of her bed, in the administration building of the state prison. Five days later "Chicken Joe" Campbell was brought to the county jail, after the coroner's jury recommended that he be held for the murder.

And the two months have brought great changes. Where at first he was pleading that his story be believed, he is now insisting that he be put on trial, and exonerated, so that he can go back to prison to finish his sentence in safety. The cringing attitude of servility and supposed straightforwardness has been succeeded by a defiant attitude of resentment at his long imprisonment without trial.

Pro-German Gary Pastor Murdered In Parsonage Yard

Preacher of Gary Ind. Lutheran
Church Found Dead
Tuesday Night

(Associated Press)
Gary, Ind., Aug. 25.—With two bullet wounds in his body and with window cords wrapped around his neck, the body of Rev. Edmund Kayser, pastor of St. James Evangelical Lutheran church at Tolleston, a suburb of Gary, was found in a lot adjoining his home last night.

Rev. Kayser's life had been threatened because of his pro-German utterances, but thus far, despite the threats made some time ago, the police have been unable to make any arrests in connection with the murder.

The victim was alone at home and there are indications that he was fired upon from the yard. The house, which is in a community of Slav steel workers, is in disorder. Kayser frequently became involved in street arguments with sympathizers of the allies, and a month ago he sought permission to carry a revolver. He was escorted to and from his church by members of his congregation. Kayser was born in Bavaria and was forty years of age.

The members of the Kayser family were in Grand Rapids, Mich., at the home of Mrs. Kayser's mother. The money and jewelry on the pastor's person were not disturbed and the police believe there were three assailants, who first intended to chastise the minister and then shot him when he resisted.

Another Motive.
A second theory of motive for the crime is based on intimations that certain members of Kayser's congregation did not approve of his conduct. Several months ago Kayser turned over several letters, written in German, to the postmaster. These letters warned the preacher to cease his relations with a certain woman and one said: "Move away or dynamite will move you."

EASTMAN KODAK CO. IS ILLEGAL TRUST

THE GOVERNMENT WON ITS SUIT
AGAINST ROCHESTER PHOTO
SUPPLY CONCERN.

MUST DISSOLVE BY NOV. 1ST

(Associated Press)
Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 25.—Federal Judge Hazel decided that the Eastman Kodak company of Rochester is a monopoly under the Sherman law and granted the company an opportunity to present a plan for "the abrogation of the illegal monopoly" by the first day of November.

Started In 1913.
The bill against the Eastman companies was filed in the United States district court in Buffalo on June 9, 1913. A month later, July 15, 1913, the company filed its answer, and for a year various attempts were made to bring about a settlement, the company agreeing to make changes in its selling policy and other alterations in its business methods asked by the government, except its practice of fixing retail prices on its goods, which it contended was necessary for the protection of its customers against price cutting by retailers.

These offers, apparently, were unsatisfactory and on Monday, April 27, 1914, the trial was opened in Buffalo before District Judge John R. Hazel. The trial continued intermittently until May 15, 1915, when it was finally

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CONTINUE INQUEST TO THURSDAY

None of Occupants of Wrecked Auto
Testified Tuesday.

The coroner's inquest into the death of Dr. J. F. McBride of Sterling, which was started Tuesday afternoon, was adjourned until Thursday evening after Motorman Harry Hines, Conductor Ben Smith and two or three other witnesses were examined. None of the victims of the accident took the stand Tuesday but they will be called when the hearing is resumed.

LITTLE GIRL KILLED BY BURSTED FAN OF THRESHING MACHINE

EIGHT YEAR OLD IRMA HECK-
MAN OF NACHUSA TOWNSHIP
WAS THE VICTIM.

WAS 200 FEET FROM MACHINE

Heavy Piece of Fan Thrown Over the
Straw Stack Hit Her In
Abdomen.

(Special to Telegraph)
Amboy, Aug. 25.—Little Irma Irene Heckman, the eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Heckman, who reside on the Jacobs farm in the southern part of Nachusa township, died at 1 o'clock this morning as the result of injuries received at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when she was struck in the abdomen by a heavy piece of a broken fan from a threshing machine.

Thrown 200 Feet.
The little girl was playing in the gateway at her father's home, occasionally stopping her play to watch the men at work, and was fully 200 feet away from the big machine when the tragic accident occurred.

The swiftly revolving fan in the machine suddenly burst and a piece about a foot long and eight inches in width was thrown through the metal guard, over the straw stack and it struck the child.

Suffered Intensely.
Medical aid was summoned for her at once and all possible attention was given her, but she was internally injured, in addition to a bad abrasion on the left arm and severe bruises about the body, and she passed away at 1 o'clock this morning after suffering intensely.

The child, who was eight years of age June 24, was an especially bright and happy youngster and her tragic death brought sympathy for the bereaved parents from countless friends. In addition to the parents she is survived by seven brothers and sisters: Lucille, Lena, Lester, Leonard, Fay, Harold and Paul. Funeral services will be held at the Heckman home on Friday afternoon with burial at Prairie Rest cemetery in Amboy.

JONES AND NELSON HELD TO GRAND JURY

MUST ANSWER TO ALLEGED AT-
TACK ON MISS THURM IN
WEST DIXON.

The preliminary hearing of Robert Jones and Wm. Nelson, arrested three weeks ago for an alleged attack on Kate Thurm while on her way home in the evening, was completed before Magistrate Kent this morning, and both were held to the grand jury. Jones under \$250 and Nelson under \$200 bonds. The boys are already under bonds, having been bound over to the grand jury of the September term of court on the charge of larceny.

WAR SHARES HAVE ADVANCE

New York Stock Market Scene of Sen-
sational Trading Today.

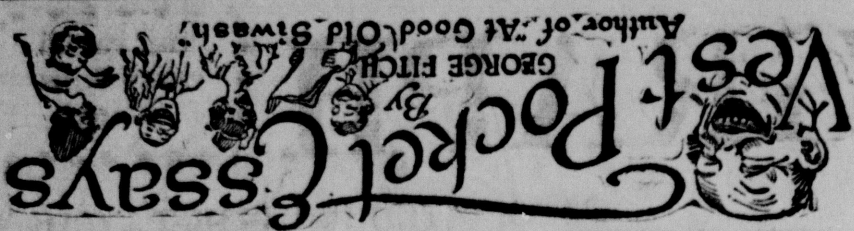
(Associated Press)
New York, Aug. 25.—Sensational gains were made in war shares at the opening of the New York stock market today. Willys-Overland stock leading with an advance of fifteen and one-half points.

THE WEATHER

Wednesday, August 25, 1915

Generally fair to-
night and Tues-
day. Warmer.

Local Temperatures.			
	Max.	Min.	Prec.
Sunday	77	52	
Monday	81	58	
Tuesday	69	58	
Wednesday	64	55	



AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES—NORTHWESTERN.

Northwestern University was founded in Evanston, Ill., in 1855, at which time Chicago was supposed to be in the northwestern section of civilization.

It was established by the Methodists and has remained very firmly Methodist ever since, though its location on the edge of Lake Michigan has made most of its students firm believers in immersion whenever the water is warm enough for bathing. It has a fine wooded campus which now would be worth \$7,000,000 if cut up for building lots, and it has educated Evanston to such an extent that when ever an Evanstonian pulls a lowbrow stunt it is regarded as a natural phenomenon and gets a column on the first page of the Chicago papers.

Northwestern's early buildings are of the old octagonal tower type with ivy overcoats. Its alumni have contributed to it with such vigor and persistence that it now has over \$4,000,000 endowment, a library of over 700,000 volumes and a number of huge and

imposing laboratories. Evanston has never been interested in the price of oil, like Chicago University, but quivers with anticipation whenever there is a corner in wheat. James A. Patton, who doled out the bread of the nation for a brief period once, is its patron saint, and while he was in business the University got a new building whenever wheat crossed the dollar mark.

Northwestern has fine law, medical and dental schools in Chicago, and has nearly 5,000 students, including a football player and vast numbers of unusually ornamental co-eds. It also has a School of Divinity and a coast-guard crew, being the only University to maintain both life-saving and soul-saving stations. It houses its girls in a vast all completely surrounded by eager men students and its fraternities in large stone quadrangles which are fire, bomb and earthquake proof and ought to last several years.

Northwestern has turned out many famous men graduates, but its greatest pride is its famous woman graduate, Frances E. Willard, the only co-ed who has a dormitory and a skyscraper named after her and who occupies a place in the Hall of Statuary at Washington.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City of Dixon has by Local Improvement Ordinance Number 175, Series of 1915, passed by the Council of said City on the 20th day of July, A. D. 1915, and approved by the Mayor of said City, on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1915, provided for the furnishing of labor and materials, for the construction of cement concrete curbing and constructing cement concrete roadway on

crushed rock or gravel or broken foundation on the Franklin Grove Road from the east curb line of Chicago Street to the west line of the West Half (W $\frac{1}{2}$) of the West $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section Four (4) Township Twenty-One (21), North, Range Nine (9) East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, in the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, as specified in said Ordinance; that said Ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City; that application has been made to the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement, according to the benefits as provided by law and by said Ordinance; that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said Court and that the final hearing thereon will be held before the said Court, in the County Court Room, in the Court House, in Dixon, in said Lee County, Illinois, at nine o'clock in the forenoon on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of said Court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said Court before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense. Said assessment is payable in Eight (8) annual installments and all installments bear interest at the rate of Five (5) per centum per annum, according to law until paid. Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 23rd day of August, A. D. 1915.

MARTIN J. GANNON,
199 5 Commissioner.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City of Dixon has by Local Improvement Ordinance, Number 176, Series of 1915, passed by the City Council of said City on July 20th, 1915, and approved by the mayor of said City July 20th, 1915, ordered the construction of cement concrete curbing and cement concrete roadway on certain streets and avenues in said City, as specified in said ordinance; that said ordinance is now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City; that application has been made to the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement, according to the benefits as provided by law and said ordinance; that an assessment therefor has been made and returned to said court and that the final hearing thereon will be held before the said Court, in the County Court Room, in the Court House, in Dixon in said Lee County, at nine o'clock a. m. on Tuesday, the 14th day of September, 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of the said court will permit.

All persons desiring may file objections to said assessment in said court, before said time and may appear at said hearing and make defense.

Said assessment is payable in Ten (10) annual installments and all installments bear interest at the rate of Five per cent per annum, according to law, until paid.

Dated August 24th, 1915.
C. C. BROOKS,
Commissioner.

DEMENTTOWN DOINGS

Yes, dear, the weather is all that a perfect lady dare not say about it. We hear that a certain well known Dixon young man is contemplating going railroading. He thinks thereby he will please a lot of the young ladies of the city who have told him to make tracks.

The wives of some Dixon men are not certain whether or not their husbands play cards for money—but they are darned sure that their husbands companions do.

The embroidery department of a big dry goods store would make an excellent stamping ground for certain industrious girls.

Great Disposition

Wesley Kading, who is employed in a moving picture theatre in Sioux Falls, arrived Saturday to spend a two weeks' vacation shooting and visiting his parents and friends—Webster (S. C.) Reporter.

Happy Benedick

Jones—I don't see your husband at the club of late, Mrs. Brown?

Mrs. Brown—No, he stays at home now and enjoys life in his own way as I want him to.

Escaped with His "Load"

"Hollo, Bibber, so you got home last night without being torpedoed."

"Whadyamean 'torpedoed'?"

"Why, you were taking a zig-zag course when I saw you."

HEAVY MEAT EATERS HAVE SLOW KIDNEYS

Eat less meat. Feel Backache or have bladder trouble—Take glass of Salts.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can keep his or her kidneys in good condition. A well known authority on the acids which excites the kidneys, says: "The kidneys become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness, urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys."

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone likes. It keeps the blood pure and the kidneys healthy.

SPECIAL PRICE ON BATHTUBS.

Five foot white enamel inside and out guaranteed tubs, \$11.25.
ROBERT NELSON CO.,
1944 I. O. O. F. Bldg.

OFFICERS STATE FAIR RUSH WORK

Exert Selves to Make Coming Exposition Biggest of Successes.

SUPERINTENDENTS ARE BUSY

Sept. 17 to 25 Are the Dates, and Information Can Be Had by All on Application—List of the Vice Presidents and Other Officials.

State Board of Agriculture members who have the control and management of the Illinois State Fair, running this year from Sept. 17 to 25, inclusive, at Springfield, are exerting greater energies than ever in the history of the board to make the big exposition the success which it surely is going to be. The executive officers of the board are:

President, Len Small, Kankakee. Vice President-at-Large, J. T. Montgomery, Charleston. Treasurer, J. F. Prather, Williamsville. Secretary, H. M. Davison, Springfield. The vice presidents from the various congressional districts of the state are: First, Martin Conrad, Twenty-second and Rockwell, Chicago. Second, B. H. Heide, Union stockyards, Chicago. Third, John McCord, Palos park, Cook county. Fourth, Frank M. Mares, 276 Archer Avenue, Chicago. Fifth, August W. Miller, 813 Chamber of Commerce, Chicago. Sixth, John Dill Robertson, 32 North State Street, Chicago. Seventh, J. J. McComb, 3327 Potomac Avenue, Chicago. Eighth, Louis F. Wilk, 4614 North Kedzie Avenue, Chicago. Ninth, J. F. Rehm, 518 Deming Place, Chicago. Tenth, W. E. Davis, Libertyville. Eleventh, C. F. Dike, North Crystal Lake. Twelfth, George H. Madden, Mendota. Thirteenth, J. E. Taggart, Freeport. Fourteenth, Frank Thornber, Carthage. Fifteenth, W. F. Aten, Ray. Sixteenth, J. P. Code, Bradford. Seventeenth, Hett B. Taylor, Fairbury. Eighteenth, Len Small, Kankakee. Nineteenth, William Dighton, Monticello. Twentieth, Elias Watkins, Petersburg. Twenty-first, C. M. Woods, 503 South Walnut Street, Springfield. Twenty-second, John S. Culp, Bethalto. Twenty-third, Thomas S. Marshall, Carbondale. Twenty-fourth, John W. Shaw, Harrisburg. Twenty-fifth, Joab Goodall, Marion.

The superintendents of the various departments, to whom application may be made for information which is not furnished at the general secretary's office at the State Board of Agriculture in Springfield, are as follows:

Class A, cattle, section 1, beef breeds, Joab Goodall. Class A, cattle, section 2, dairy breeds, Len Small. Class B, horses, section 1, heavy horses, J. P. Code. Class B, horses, section 2, light horses, H. B. Taylor. Class B, horses, section 3, jacks and Jennets, Elias Watkins. Class B, horses, section 4, speed, George H. Madden. Class C, sheep, Thomas S. Marshall. Class D, swine, John S. Culp. Class E, poultry, John McCord. Class F, mechanic art, William Dighton. Class G, farm products, John W. Shaw. Class H, horticulture, J. J. McComb. Class I, floriculture, John W. Shaw. Class K, textile fabrics and amateur art, A. W. Miller. Class L, education, J. D. Robertson. Class M, machinery, C. F. Dike. Class N, dairy products, Frank M. Mares. Class O, apical, culinary and pantry stores, W. E. Davis. General superintendent, B. H. Heide. Marshal of the ring, C. M. Woods. Superintendent of the coliseum, J. F. Rehm. Superintendent of gates, J. E. Taggart. Superintendent of tickets and admissions, Louis F. Wilk. Superintendent of Boys' State Fair school, John D. Robertson. Superintendent of permits and privileges, W. F. Aten. Superintendent of grand stand, Frank Thornber. Superintendent of members' restaurant, J. F. Rehm. Superintendent of forage, B. H. Heide. Superintendent of Emergency hospital, Dr. J. T. Montgomery. Auditor, C. M. Woods. Boys' State Fair school commission, Francis G. Blair, president; A. N. Abbott, Edgar C. Pruitt, Eugene Davenport and Charles F. Mills, secretaries. Board of lady managers, Mrs. Grace Viell Gray, 562 Maryland Avenue, Chicago; Miss Laura A. Gonterman, Edwardsville; Mrs. S. E. Wimer, Princeton, and Mrs. Minnie Starr Grainger, Belvidere. The addresses of the superintendents may be noted by referring to the vice presidents' list, as the superintendents are the various vice presidents.

State Fair to Be a Schooling.

As an educational center, the Illinois State Fair at Springfield, Sept. 17 to 25, will hold top rank. Every phase of industrial, social and economic life will there be represented, and the many thousands of people who are going to attend will find the big exposition a schooling in itself.

WILL DIRECT VISITORS TO THE STATE FAIR.

Visitors to the coming State Fair, Sept. 17 to 25, need have no fear of not finding places which they may seek. The Springfield Commercial association has arranged to maintain a free information bureau in the northwest corner of the courthouse yard. Ladies will find a Y. W. C. A. representative in attendance there at all times. All information will be given without charge.

Nurses, when you need record sheets visit the Telegraph job printing department.

MOSQUITO PLAGUE WORST IN YEARS

WET SEASON RESPONSIBLE FOR INSECT PEST—NO COMFORT OUTDOORS.

Never in the history of Dixon has the plague of mosquitoes been so bad as it is now. Sitting out of doors in the evening, a favorite recreation, is absolutely prohibited. Arms, necks and ankles have to be protected or the fierce attacks of the bloodthirsty insects drive one almost crazy.

Persons must keep out of their gar dens, for the stirring of a brush or a branch brings a cloud of mosquitoes that settle all over and bite like the mischief.

The insect pest is due to the continuous rain, making thousands of breeding places for them that usually are dry.

AUTO INSURANCE CO. OFFICES

Main Office of Illinois Motor Vehicle Liability Co. Here

The Illinois Motor Vehicle Liability Exchange has opened its main office in Room 34 of the Dixon National bank building, with Miss Minnie Jones of El Paso, Ill., in charge. This new organization of which F. S. Larson of El Paso is attorney in fact, and F. C. Brewer of El Paso, and M. E. Cain of Streator, directors, insures automobiles against property damage or bodily injury to third persons.

A. F. & A. M. SPECIAL. A special meeting of Friendship lodge No. 7, A. F. & A. M., will be held at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening for work in the third degree.

STATE FAIR BOOKS. County Clerk Fred G. Dimick has received at his office a supply of premium lists and rules of awards of the Illinois State fair which opens this year Sept. 24. Anyone may secure a copy by applying at the office.

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WEST BROOKLYN HAS CHAMPIONSHIP BUG

DEFEATED PAW PAW TUESDAY—NOW WANTS CHANCE AT DIXON

If reports from West Brooklyn are to be given credence the Dixon Home Guards are not to rest quietly in their enjoyment of the title of "Champions of Lee county." Tuesday the West Brooklyn team took Paw Paw into camp 4 to 3, and now the players and fans of the hustling little city in the southeastern part of the county are nursing a deep-seated hunch that West Brooklyn can trim Dixon—therefore a challenge is to be hurled this way.

Sunday's Game Off. Because of a conflict in dates the scheduled Dixon-Mt. Morris game, which was to have been played at Rochelle next Sunday has been called off.

SMOKE HELMET FOR FIREMEN

New Appliance Purchased For Dixon Fire Department.

The equipment for the use of the men at the fire department has been increased by the purchase of a smoke helmet made by the American-La France Co. The helmet is for use in building filled with smoke and with it a man may stay in a smoke-filled room for some time without being overcome. The helmet is carried on the wagon along with the other necessary equipment.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER. George J. Schmidt to Arthur E. and Minnie M. Sheffield, wd \$700, pt blk 2 North Dixon.

Do you know that your Library Table is down town? Do you know where to find it? Well, it's in Keyes, Ahrens, Ogden's window and it's priced specially for this evening only—come and pick it out—tonight.
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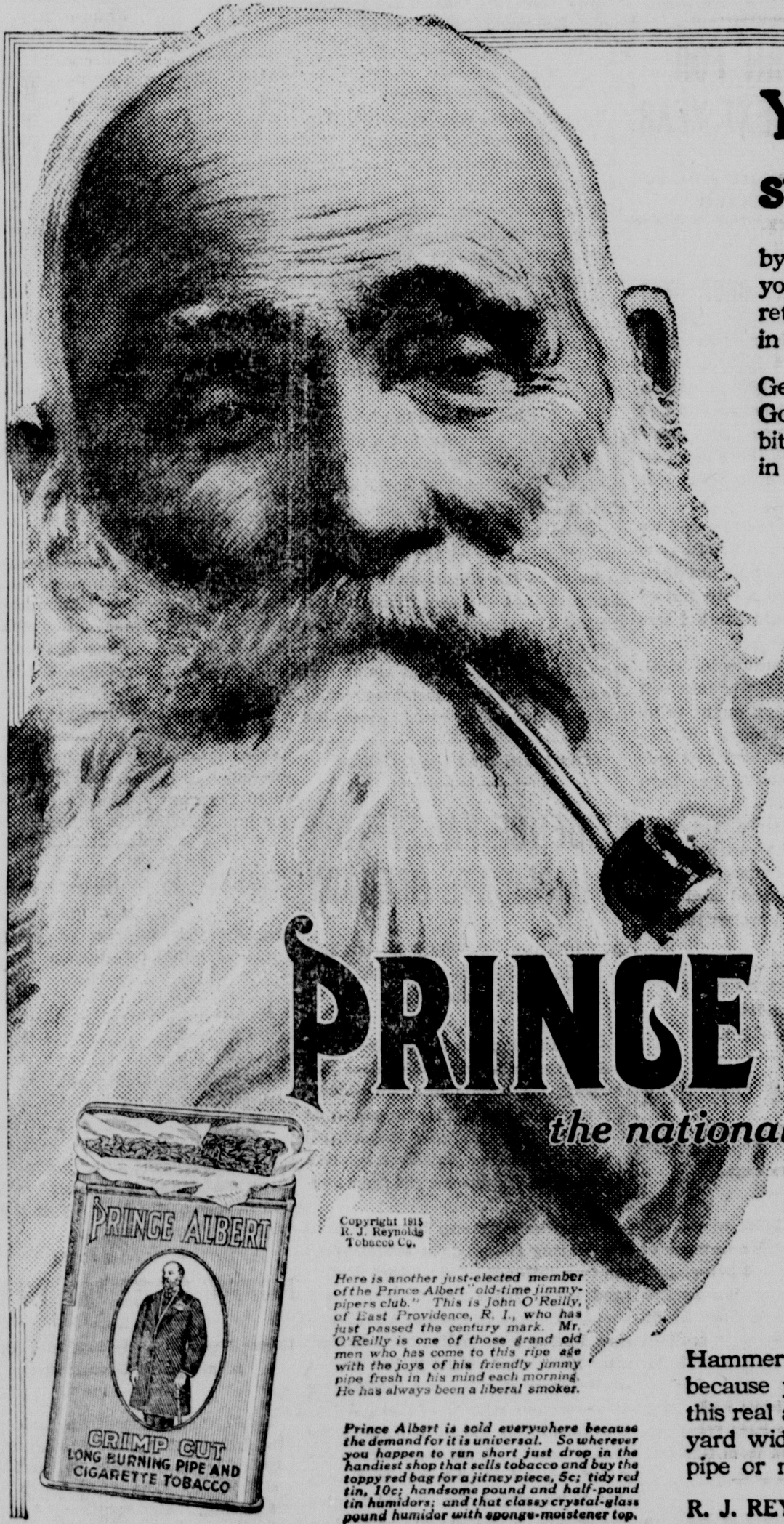
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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Thursday.
W. C. O. F. Meeting—K. C. Hall
Presbyterian Social Tea—Mrs. A. W. Lord
G. A. R. Circle picnic—Lowell park
Ladies Aid—Christian church
Friday.
Presbyterian Missionary—Mrs. W. T. Greig.

For Mrs. Finney
Mrs. W. J. McAlpine entertains with bridge Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Finney.

To Be Entertained Here
Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Cryor of El Paso, who have been in Minneapolis

for the summer, will stop here Thursday on their way home and be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Greig of North Dixon.

To Petoskey, Mich.
Miss Woodbridge has gone to Petoskey, Mich., for a stay of several weeks at the northern summer resort.

Here from Des Moines
Mrs. John Duff of Des Moines, Ia., will arrive this evening and will be a guest for a few days at the M. H. Forsyth home in this city.

Presbyterian Missionary
The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. W. T. Greig, 412 East Chamberlain street, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Illi Hall, Grand Detour
The last dancing party of the summer season will be given at Illi hall, Grand Detour, Friday evening, and promises to be the most en-

joyable event of the summer. Special music has been engaged for the last party and the management will spare no effort to make this the most memorable affair ever given in Grand Detour. Every body welcome.

Celebrate Birthdays
The home of Mr. and Mrs. George Sills of Palmyra township was the scene of a very pleasant gathering at which time a few relatives and friends assembled at the Sills home. The happy occasion was in honor of the 85th birthday anniversary of Mr. Sills, and also in honor of Mrs. Sills, who was 78 years of age, Aug. 20th. Mr. Sills was the first white child born in Palmyra township, and Mrs. Sills the second. Mr. and Mrs. Sills are in apparently good health, and have resided on a farm in Palmyra township for the past 52 years. The evening was spent in a very pleasant manner, and later in the evening delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sills, Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. Beede and daughter Dorothy, and also Mrs. Emma Smith and son Charles of Kansas City, Kas., who are guests of Mrs. Frank Sills.

For Mrs. Clifton
Miss Eels will entertain this evening in honor of her guest, Mrs. Clifton of Faribault, Minn., with a launch ride and supper at Lowell park lodge. Other out of town guests are Mrs. H. E. Finney of San Francisco and Mrs. Warwick of Mankato.

Entertained S. S. Class
Mesdames Clea Bunnell and Chas. Myers delightfully entertained Mrs. Rowe's Sunday school class of the Methodist church, at the former's cottage at Assembly park. The delightful affair was in honor of Mrs. H. L. Dollahan, who leaves next week for St. Joe, Mo., to make her future home. The afternoon was spent in a social way, the hours were from 2:30 to 5:30 o'clock. Mrs. Dollahan was presented with a beautiful silver spoon as a token of remembrance, who responded with a few words of thanks.

Before the guests departed light refreshments of coffee and cake were served.

From Tampico
Mrs. C. Janssen and daughter of Tampico are here visiting with Mrs. Janssen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Stultz of the Chicago Road.

From Polo
Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Beard of Polo motored from Polo Tuesday and spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Reed. They were accompanied home by Mrs. L. B. Unger and son of Rochelle, who have been visiting at the Reed home the past few days.

Loyal Order of Moose
The Loyal Order of Moose will hold an open meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in their hall to which the public is invited.

Dr. Edgar Ford Sheen will deliver a lecture on Mooseheart. There will also be other speakers. Music will be furnished by the Dixon Mandolin Club.

Have Returned Home
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. LeFevre of R. F. D. 6, Polo, have returned from a three weeks eastern trip, having visited relatives and friends in Lancaster, Harrisburg, Philadelphia, Washington, D. C., New York City, Atlantic City, Baltimore and other eastern cities.

At Reid Home
Mrs. Margaret Walters of Lanark, Ill., is visiting here for a few days at the C. P. Reid home.

Honor Mrs. Hughes
Mrs. Frank Spiller of this city delightfully entertained twenty ladies at Rebekah hall last evening with 5 o'clock tea, in honor of Mrs. Edward Hughes of Chicago. After tea a social hour was enjoyed, following which the company formed a theatre party at the Opera house.

Mrs. Grace Adams and Misses Mahale and Emma Seybert of Dixon and Messrs. Fred Gordon, George Rice, and John Bracken of Rochelle motored to Clinton, Ia., Sunday evening.

Spending Vacation Here
Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Green of Sterling are visiting Dixon relatives and friends. Mr. Green is in the employ of the I. N. U. at Sterling and is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

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Return from Motor Trip
Mr. and Mrs. Barry Lennon arrived home yesterday from an automobile trip made with the Frank Downings to Fargo, N. D. The trip was made via the Lincoln Highway, Red Ball, and Red Trail Routes. Mr. and Mrs. Lennon returned by train while Mr. and Mrs. Downing and daughter will return in their car later.

Thursday Eve Dance
Company G will give their weekly social dance at their Armory over the Nett garage tomorrow evening to which all dancers are invited. Mu-

Motored to this City
Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn of Ohio motored to this city yesterday and spent the day with friends.

From Western Trip
Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn of Ohio motored to this city yesterday and spent the day with friends.

Day at the Pines
Mrs. H. L. Dollahan and Mrs. J. W. Porter drove to the Pines today and spent the day.

To Entertain at Dinner
Mrs. Lillian Benjamin of Peoria avenue will entertain at dinner Thursday evening, the Misses Carpenter who are spending a few weeks in Dixon.

For Misses Carpenter
Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Quinby entertained with a dinner at the Natchua Tavern today, in honor of Misses Anna, Emma, Charlotte and Edna Carpenter.

Entertained Luncheon
Mrs. Gratia Welch charmingly entertained at a luncheon and musicale at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. C. Sickels yesterday. Mrs. Vance, wife of Prof. Vance of Worcester University, Worcester, O., Miss Gratia Rogers, Miss Carol Welch and Miss Frances Austin participated in the musicale, while the two latter mentioned served at the luncheon. Mrs. Vance, a composer of much ability, played and sang a number of her own compositions, delighting the guests.

The following program was given:
Vocal—
DeKoven: Winter Lullaby
Nevin: Beat Upon Mine, Little Heart
Rogers: Julia's Garden
Frances Austin

Piano—
Godard: Barcarolle
Burmester: Persian Song
Carol Welch

Vocal—
Riego: My Gentle Child
Liszt: Thou Art Like a Tender Floweret

Trunk—Stilles Lied I.
Stilles Lied II.
Mrs. Vance

Piano—
McDowell: To a Water Lily
McDowell: Shadow Dance
Liszt: Hark, hark the Lark
Chopin: Valse
Miss Rogers

Returned from Moline
Mr. and Mrs. George O'Malley and family who have been visiting at Moline, with friends, returned home today.

House Party
Misses Bessie and Flossie Kreitzer and Mrs. Lena Kallblisch delightfully entertained with a house party at Alfresco Lodge, near Grand Detour, last evening. The guests being Miss Ida Ware, Mrs. H. E. Bradley and Miss Otie Steacy.

Visiting Parents
Miss Pearl Lebowich is spending a three weeks' vacation with her parents, from their duties at Bellevue hospital, New York City.

Moir Pitter Nuptials
This morning at 10:30 o'clock at St. Paul's Lutheran parsonage took place the marriage of Miss Esther Moir of Brooklyn township and Polk McCune Pitter of Mendota, Ill. Rev. L. Woods, performed the ceremony. The bridal couple were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Pitter will reside on a farm near Mendota.

For Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crabtree
Judge and Mrs. John Crabtree entertained Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crabtree and baby of California Tuesday.

Guest of Miss Altman
Miss Georgia Marshall of Joplin, Mo., who has been spending a week with Miss Elizabeth Owens, is now the guest of Miss Josephine Altman.

Supper Guests
Misses Katherine Roper and Katherine Owens were guests for supper of Miss Mary Louise Fuller.

Home from Milwaukee
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sterling and son Chandler have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chandler in Milwaukee, Wis.

Dancing Party
The Misses Grace and Alice Byers Madalene and Eleanore Coover and Marcella Kent will entertain with a dancing party Thursday evening at Lowell park.

At Dinner
Miss Stana Sankovich entertained at dinner and supper Monday a company of friends, among them being guests from Polo, and Mt. Morris

Golden Wedding.
A most enjoyable event was the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hay at their cozy new home at Light House on Tuesday, August 24. Dinner was served at high noon, with tables laden with delectable viands, and a company who did ample justice to it all. There were about one hundred guests present. Among the number was Mrs. Hay's brother, whom she had not seen for more than thirty years, Mr. Hugh Wallace, from Canada, and Mr. and Mrs. Happs, LaMoille, Hon. Geo. Edmondson, Chicago; Miss Margaret McCullough, Dixon (granddaughter), Hon. Clyde Smith and wife, Hon. Carl Seyster and wife, Hon. W. P. Fearer and wife; Messrs. and Mesdames P. E. Hastings, Lee Allen, Cyrus Hills, Wynie Hills, John Hoffman, Willis Carpenter, Forrest Carpenter, Mesdames W. D. Mackay and Cora Althouse and Miss Nellie Williams from Oregon, and from Light House and vicinity: Messrs. and Mesdames Geo. Stultz, Fred K. Rich, Henry Arnold, George Canfield, Frank Althouse and Wm. Althouse; Misses Rose and Bertha Bissell, Messrs. and Mesdames J. E. Myers, Fred Gates, Henry Kutcher, Floyd Thompson, and Mr. Talmadge and Mrs. Edith Gates and Will Ling and Mrs. Catharine Gibson; Messrs. and Mesdames Chas. Fruit and H. L. Bennett, Adam Johnson and Mrs. May Glick, Rev. Rich gave a pleasing little talk along with the many beautiful gifts that were brought. The gifts bore mute testimony of the high esteem in which this fine old couple is held in the community where they have lived for 33 years.

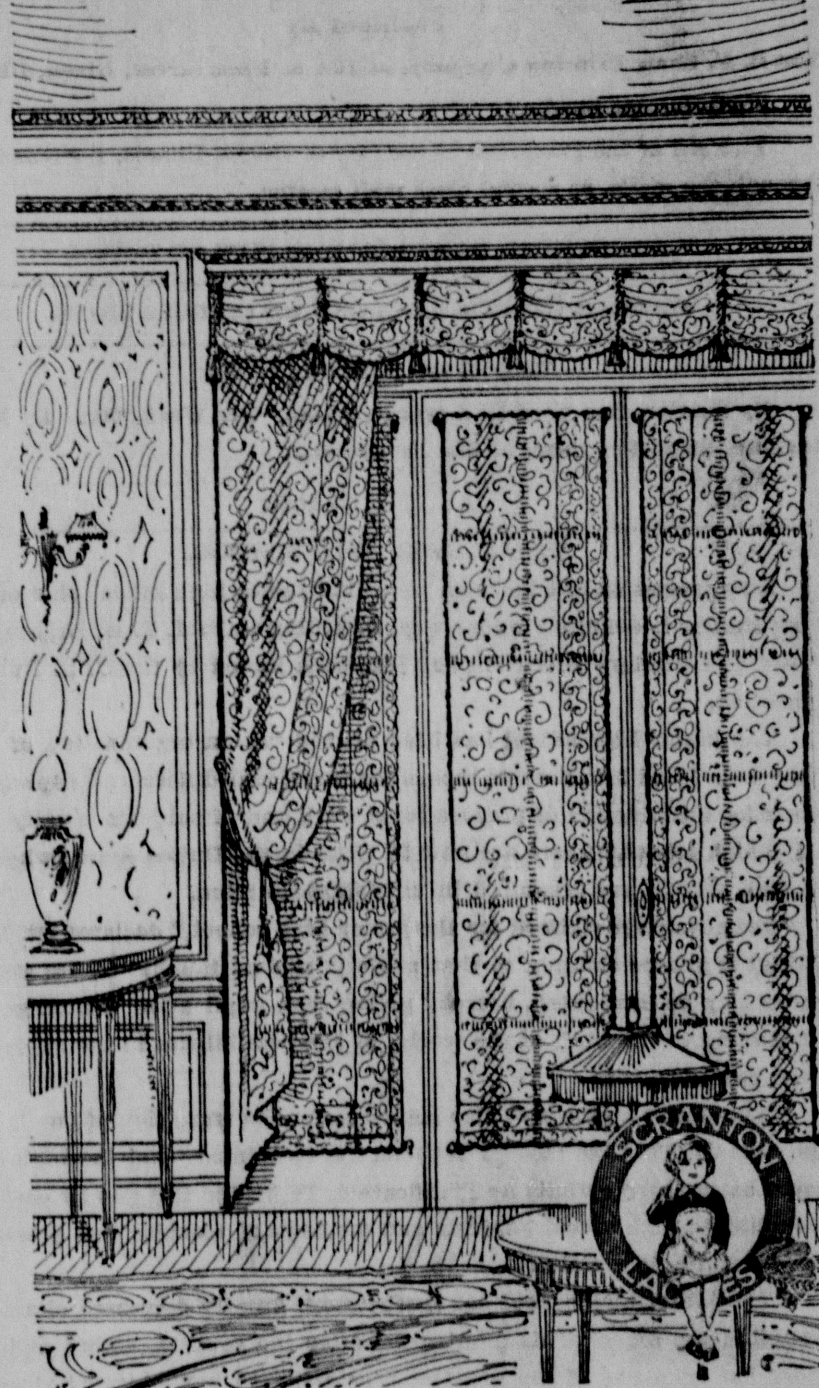
The house was beautifully decorated in yellow and white, and vases of choice flowers were everywhere.

Some three weeks ago, W. H. Seib, a fireman at Buffalo, N. Y., with his family and friends passed through Dixon on their way to Iowa by auto to visit friends. They stopped in Dixon for a few hours, visiting with the boys at the fire station. This morning Chief Coffey received a full account from Mr. Seib of the big \$175,000 fire that they had at Buffalo last Friday when the plant of the Robertson-Catacraft Electric Co., was burned to the ground and a number of firemen were injured.

Campbell, Withdraws.
St. Louis, Aug. 24.—Mrs. Rose V. Curtis, sister of the late James Campbell, filed in the circuit court a motion withdrawing as a plaintiff in the suit to break the Campbell will and stating that hereafter no one is authorized to take an appeal in her name from the recent jury decision that Mrs. Lois Campbell Burkhart is the daughter of James Campbell.

Wreckage of Missing Liner Found.
New Orleans, Aug. 24.—The United Fruit line steamers Suriname and Preston were dispatched to the Yucatan coast, where pieces of wreckage from a steamship have been found. It is believed the wreckage is from the missing steamship Marowine, lost with eighty-two on board, and the vessels were sent to make identification.

Farmer Crushed by Tree.
Bloomington, Ind., Aug. 25.—A. J. Knight, forty years old, a farmer living six miles north of Bloomington, was brought to the Bloomington hospital in a dying condition as a result of injuries sustained when he was cutting a large tree and failed to get clear of the falling timber.



With the approach of the Winter months—the season of indoor entertainment—the thoughts of women are turning to interior decoration, especially to Lace Hangings.

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HARMON WON GAME.

Through misinformation the Telegraph stated Monday that St. Mary's team had won Sunday's game at Harmon. The report was in error, Harmon winning by a score of 16 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Zigler of Woonung motored to this city today. Miss Elizabeth Owens is visiting the Dr. Owens family in Princeton, Ill.

Mrs. Humor of Altona, Pa., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. E. B. Owens, has returned to her eastern home.

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THE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL.

Reorganization of education under the junior high school plan or something similar is definitely under way, according to Prof. T. H. Briggs, whose review of secondary education has just been issued by the U. S. Bureau of Education.

The junior high school has been defined "as an organization of grades 7 and 8 or 7 and 9 to provide means for individual differences, especially by an earlier introduction of prevocational work and of subjects usually taught in the high school." There are now 57 cities in the United States where junior high schools are organized in unmistakable form.

"One advantage claimed for the junior high school," declares Dr. Briggs, "is that it groups children so that subjects seldom taught in the grammar grades may be introduced, thereby giving each pupil a more intelligent understanding of the work of the world, of the possibilities in the subject and in the pupil himself."

"The junior high school also makes easier the transition of pupils to the high schools. That the change between the elementary and the high school should be so sharp permits no justification. To bridge this gap by earlier introduction to high school subjects and methods of teaching has greatly improved results, it is claimed."

"The junior high school has furthermore greatly decreased elimination of pupils from school. This elimination after the seventh, eighth and ninth grades has been one of the greatest reproaches to our educational system. Any plan that promises to retain children in school beyond these grades is worthy of the most careful consideration."

The statistics given by Dr. Briggs show that a much larger per cent of students enter high school where junior high schools exist than before they were organized.

That the junior high school furnishes an opportunity for various needed reforms in instruction is the final claim of the new movement, according to Dr. Briggs. He points out that in the junior high school a course of study based on the newer principles of psychology, sociology, and economics, various provisions for individual differences, and especially an improved method of teaching, can now be introduced.

Los Angeles (Cal.) high school; Butte (Mont.) high school; Wisconsin high school, Madison, Wis.; and Horace Mann school, New York City, are cited as successfully organized junior high schools, "Los Angeles having far outstripped all other cities in developing them."

A FORMER PROGRESSIVE.

Philip M. Clark, a progressive leader in Massachusetts who, only two years ago was able to poll 25,000 votes when a candidate for district attorney in his county, has come back to republican ranks. In a letter to the republican state committee he warns his former progressive party associates against confusing their ideals with "the continued existence of a political party which the people have decided to discard. Those who lead the progressive party in its early days no longer lead; those who control its organization and shape its course fail absolutely to inspire confidence; its voters have vanished." Mr. Clark declares his continued faith in progressive principles, but believes they can be enacted into law through the republican party. "The democratic party," he said, "is at heart reactionary; the best proof of its record is the southern states, where its control has been absolute for years. The republican party, on the other hand, has a splendid record of progressive legislation, accomplished not only in Massachusetts, but throughout the country. Recruited as it is by the return of thousands of progressives who have every opportunity under our direct primary law to make themselves felt in its conventions and in the selection of its candidates, it should be the party of constructive accomplishment in the future."

THE MUNITION TRADE.

Selling munitions is almost like dumping goods into the ocean and getting paid double price for them. England will take all she can get. So will Russia, although her means of getting munitions—with the exception of those which the Germans shoot at her—are limited. If the war continues, and if we do not come to blows with Germany or Great Britain, or the free corner of Belgium, the munition bubble will go on growing, with iridescent rainbow hues chasing themselves over its thinning surface.

Then it will collapse. The great Wall Street manipulators will emerge with the profits. The small investors, who flung their savings into the maws of war, will lose heavily. Foreign governmental securities will depreciate. They may be repudiated. Business in the United States will be likely to become bad, and if Mr. Wilson is re-elected the conservative financiers who have been floating the war loans will blame it on the tariff and the democratic party.—San Francisco Bulletin.

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CURRENT COMMENT

Globe Democrat: All sorts of uplift plans are in operation for the benefit of convicts; and "not a statistic" yet to prove whether the plans have any effect in decreasing crime. Isn't something owing to society as well as to the convict?

Springfield News-Record: The mother-in-law joke has been the butt of many a bad joke made by lazy-minded jokesmiths. No vaudeville performance is considered a success unless something is said about what a bother mothers-in-law are.

It has remained for a Chicago prosecuting attorney, however, to declare seriously that mothers-in-law should be removed from the face of the earth. He insists that they are a menace to domestic felicity.

Such ineffable rot can be excused in a jokesmith who makes his living by producing such stuff; but from an official one expects something better.

As a matter of fact, mothers-in-law are usually kind old ladies who would do anything in the world for the husbands of their daughters. Naturally, they do not want to see their daughters abused, but because a mother-in-law objects when a drunken husband beats her daughter is no sign that she is a "menace to domestic felicity."

Usually when the mother-in-law puts on her fighting clothes, it is because domestic felicity has ceased to exist.

Quincy Whig: Everything about the Aurora meeting spelled harmony and harmony spells success. The fact that there were twenty thousand republicans present means that there was good pie served and nobody felt like eating crow.

Jacksonville Courier: The time is fast approaching when the section of country which maintains good roads is bound to be the section frequented by tourists and the part which will profit in a commercial way.

Alton Daily Times: This "honor system" is not going to make a hit as a political fetish. It seems to be breaking down from the ill-guided lapses of its worshippers.

New Haven Register: Natural perversity must be called up on to explain the persistence of some tourists in making Europe their Mecca this summer as usual. It isn't because of lack of reminders that they ought to see America for safety first.

Galesburg Republican-Register: Six of the candidates can scarcely expect to get the Chicago strength. Colonel Lowden has back of him Thompson, the mayor of Chicago, and if Lowden gets the Chicago Republican, and the down state is divided among the others, Lowden will have the advantage.

Decatur Herald: Not all the editorial courage is confined to this side of the Atlantic. Herr Eugene Zimmerman of the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin has the hardihood to remind Germany that it was Germany herself that in The Hague convention defeated the proposal to forbid the shipment of arms from neutral states to belligerent countries. The fact that the statement was true does not belittle the fact that it took nerve to say it to the Germans in their present temper.

City In Brief

County Superintendent L. W. Miller and wife attended the Whiteside county teachers' institute at Sterling today.

A. P. Armstrong and wife went to Chicago this morning.

L. B. Countryman and wife left yesterday for Denver, Colo., for a few weeks' stay.

B. F. Johnson went to the east end of the county today to look after land interests.

H. L. Fordham transacted business in DeKalb today.

Miss Katherine Owens of North Dixon is spending a few days with Miss Katherine Roper.

E. A. Tayman and little daughter went to Beloit, Wis., this morning to spend the day.

Anton Beck of Rockford is receiving treatment here at the Dixon hospital while his son, Henry Beck, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Graehling of N. Dixon.

Mrs. Rose McGugin of Chicago and son, Kenneth Corcoran of Gary, Ind., are visiting Mrs. E. Brayton.

Miss Violet Graehling is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Merle McCartney of Polo, for a few days.

Louis Bryan of Palmyra was a business caller in this city today.

Fred Lawton of Palmyra motored to this city today on business.

Mrs. Theodore Fuller and daughter, Mary Louise returned last evening from Chicago.

Will Fisher of Akron, O., is here visiting friends for a few days.

Mrs. W. Esslinger, and daughter, Ida, of Valparaiso, Ind., are visiting a few days at the LeRoy Buhler home in Palmyra.

Misses Gertrude and Happy Reid went to Princeton today to visit with Mrs. Melvin Griswold for a few days.

W. J. Hardt returned to his home in South Bend, Ind., today after spending a few days at the S. B. Cleary home on East Second street.

Miss Pauline Brass of Dement Ave continues to be quite ill.

G. B. Hustand was down from Oregon yesterday afternoon on business.

Attorney S. V. Wirick of Rochelle was here Tuesday on legal business.

James Dunn, former supervisor from East Grove township and wife were here from Ohio Station yesterday.

Attorney Harry Warner was in DeKalb and Rockford yesterday looking after business matters.

Miss Mamie Kennedy of Erie is here on a few days visit at the home of Fire Chief Thomas Coffey and wife.

Mrs. Collingsgrove has sold her household furniture and expects to go to Chicago the last of the week to make her future home.

Ray Miller went to Franklin Grove today on business.

Mrs. Potts of Chicago is expected here for a visit with Miss Florence Noble.

Miss Mary McGinnis of the Chicago Road called on friends in this city today.

Lee Bulta has returned to this city after spending several days in Joliet, Elgin, and Sycamore.

Miss Colwell of Franklin Grove was a shopper in Dixon today.

Nurses record sheets in blocks of 50 for sale at this office.

Allen Buckaloo of DeKalb is in Dixon today.

Society stationery may be procured at this office.

Samuel Bondi was an early morning passenger to the metropolis.

Guy Miller went to Freeport today.

R. W. Thompson has returned home after a business visit of ten days in Clark, S. Dak.

Sidney Bacharach went to St. Louis, Mo., this morning for a few days' visit.

Misses Minnie Genett and Arvilla Richardson came out from Chicago on the noon train today to visit for a few days at the Gennett home in North Dixon.

Miss Gladys Pauline Hill of Rockford is here visiting with her father, Geo. W. Hill and brother, Arthur Hill, at 108 Crawford Ave.

Prof. A. Absher went to Ashton this morning to visit a few days with friends.

Mrs. Sadie Gaffney returned to Milwaukee, Wis., this morning after a several days' visit in this city with friends.

Apple Growers Meet in Orchard. Quincy, Ill., Aug. 25.—The Mississippi Valley Apple Growers' association will hold a meeting in the orchard of the Illinois State Soldiers' home.

Town to Have Water Works. Mackinaw, Ill., Aug. 25.—At a meeting of the city council it was voted to appropriate \$5,500 for the purchase of the water works plant.

Organize to Fight Weeds. Moline, Ill., Aug. 25.—An organization was formed this week for the purpose of getting rid of the weeds in this city.

What are you going to do after supper? They're worth a trip down town to see; they're Wednesday Evening Bargains indeed—Library Tables—Yes, and good ones.

KEYES, AHRNS, OGDEN CO. Of Course!

GOLF TOURNAMENT OPENS SATURDAY

EVANS, OUMET AND TRAVERS ARE AMONG STARS ENTERED.

(Associated Press) Detroit, Mich., Aug. 25.—Will the new golf champion be Evans, Oumet or Travers—or will he be somewhere else?

These three stars, each of whom is a champion, have been picked from a brilliant field by a majority of American enthusiasts, to furnish the winner of the 21st National Amateur Golf Championship Tournament, to be held here from August 28 to September 4.

More than 150 contestants are expected to compete in the qualifying round, August 28, on the Detroit Country Club course. Harry Vardon, the famous English golfer, who shot a game on these grounds two years ago, pronounced the course the finest he had seen in America. Other noted students of the Scotch pastime have declared that no course in the country demands more skill from performers in championship competition. Since the links were completed in June, 1912, no one has turned in a score better than 72.

ANTISALOON FIGHT IS STARTED AT DANVILLE

Injunction Suit by Drys Being Heard by Judge de Selm.

Danville, Ill., Aug. 25.—After half a dozen postponements the injunction suit brought by the Anti-Saloon league to restrain eighty-four saloons from operating in Danville was called for trial. Judge Arthur de Selm of Kankakee is hearing it. Jurists of the local circuit declined to hear the action brought in May and many outside judges declined to act. It was only at the last minute that Judge de Selm consented to hear the arguments. The suit was brought when saloons continued to operate despite the fact that the city council refused to issue licenses. The saloonists contend that since the town voted wet, the council, which has a dry majority, had no authority to refuse to issue licenses. They tendered the annual license fee and opened the bars for business.

WOULD PAY MILITIA TO ATTEND DRILLS

JOV. DUNNE BELIEVES GUARD COULD BE INCREASED TO 100,000

Gov. E. F. Dunne has a plan for the state militia under which he says "it will be no trick at all to raise the enlistment to 100,000." It consists of paying the men a nominal sum for every night they drill. Governor Dunne says, "In our preparations for national defense, which in these uncertain times have become doubly imperative, two courses are open to us. We can increase the standing army or else create a larger interest and membership in the state militia. The former course is one opposed to precedent, and, I think, to the wishes of a majority of the people of the United States. The latter course is the only one open to us. I have a plan by which I believe that it would be no trick at all to raise the Illinois national guard from a membership of about seven thousand to a membership of more than a hundred thousand. If we could pay each of the men a small sum for his days of active work, say a dollar, it would prove a remarkable stimulant for enlistment. To raise our present army to a million men great saving."

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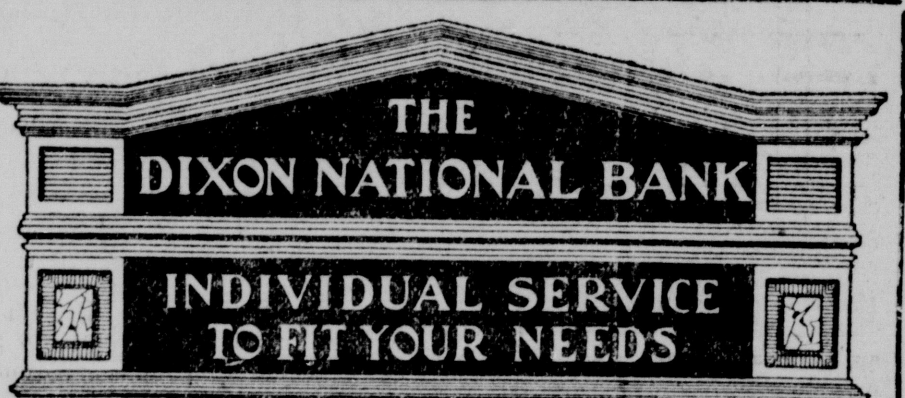
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4th week ... 40 cents	12th week ... 1.20	20th week ... 2.00
5th week ... 50 cents	13th week ... 1.30	21st week ... 2.00
6th week ... 60 cents	14th week ... 1.40	
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Dramatic Notes

AT THE FAMILY THEATER
Pictures tonight: The Human Chain, featuring Helen Holmes; From Champion to Tramp, featuring Fromaine Filding; Series No. 10 of The Goddess; and the Hearst-Selig News Pictorial, which includes the following sub-titles: United States Adds Biggest Warship to Navy; Wild Scenes Following Declaration of War in Italian Capital; Whole City is Bright With Blossoms for Big Rose Carnival; Yacht Club Organizes Motor Boat Naval Reserve Squadron; Unofficial Envoy Back in America Sees No Chance for Peace; Jockey is Spilled in Race.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE

A novelty, a real one, is always appreciated, no matter what it is, but when a theatrical producer gets a novelty, he is usually appreciative for he knows he has something that will make plenty of money and for the present at least he needn't worry. This was never more emphatically proved than in "A Modern Cinderella" which comes to the Dixon Opera house tonight. Messrs. Jones and Crane, the owners of this famous music play, have settled back in their chairs so to speak, and for some time have been reaping the golden harvest that this attraction is sending to them each week. And they deserve it, for the producing of musical comedies is the most speculative branch of the theatrical business. Thousands upon thousands of dollars must be spent before the curtain goes up on the first performance and few in the audience have any idea of the enormous cost of the show they are witnessing. If the play is a failure, everything is practically useless. On the other hand if it is a success like "A Modern Cinderella" has proved to be, then everything is lovely and the producer looks at the sky, repeating the time worn saying, "It's a fine old world after all."

PRINCESS THEATER

Tonight the Princess theater will show a two reel Thanhouser feature entitled A Message Through the Flames, with Mignon Anderson and Bert Delaney in the leading roles, a thrilling story in which a blind girl saves two trains from colliding. The other pictures are a Reliance drama entitled An Independent Woman, a story in which a woman at last finds comfort in getting married. The last reel is a Falstaff comedy entitled Gussie, the Graceful Lifeguard, with Peggy Burke and Carey Hasting in the leading roles, a seaside comedy.

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DIXON ATTORNEY IS SHERMAN CLUB MAN

E. H. BREWSTER NAMED AS ONE OF SENATOR'S VICE PRESIDENTS

Chicago, Aug. 25.—Senator L. Y. Sherman's presidential boom got under full headway last night. William J. Calhoun, former minister to China, accepted the presidency of the state-wide Original Sherman club.

With a sense of the dramatic, the senator's followers are seeking to set the stage as it was twenty years ago.

In 1896 Mr. Calhoun went down to the Republican state convention and, almost single handed, overthrew the political machine that sought to land the Illinois delegation for the late Shelby M. Cullom. He forced through instructions for McKinley, and in the national convention the Illinois indorsement in large measure settled the contest and made McKinley the nominee for president. This was Mr. Calhoun's last active participation in Illinois politics.

Hope to Repeat Victory
Now that he has taken state leadership of the Sherman movement, the senator's supporters are hoping that the history of two decades ago will be repeated in the convention of 1916.

E. H. Brewster of this city is named as one of the 135 vice presidents in the state.

PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harms of this city are the proud parents of a baby son, born to them this morning.

EASTMAN KODAK CO. IS AN ILLEGAL TRUST

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submitted to Judge Hazel for decision.

In the course of the trial representatives of most of the competitors of the Eastman company in all branches of its trade, officers and employees of the company, and George Eastman, president, treasurer and founder of the business, were put on the stand by the government and by the company.

Defendants named in the government's bill were: Eastman Kodak Co. of New Jersey (capital \$35,000,000, \$26,000,000 issued), Eastman Kodak Co. of New York (capital \$5,000,000), George Eastman, Henry A. Strong, Walter S. Hubbell and Frank S. Noble, all of Rochester, officers of the company.

In its suit, the government asked for the dissolution of the company, by receivership if necessary, alleging that it was monopolizing the trade in photographic supplies in violation of the Sherman law to the extent of controlling 72 per cent of the trade. Restraints, the government declared, had been imposed on the business of competing manufacturers and dealers by the company's terms of sale, which prohibited dealers selling Eastman goods from the selling of goods of any other manufacturer, and fixed retail prices on the goods; by the operation of retail or stock houses as ostensible competing establishments, and by marketing, through the Defender company, a Rochester corporation, a certain film as if it were an independent product. Injunctions were sought against these practices.

Investigation of the company's methods by the Department of Justice began under Attorney General Wickersham but the filing of a suit was delayed pending the negotiations for a settlement of the issues involved. When Attorney General McReynolds came into office the Kodak suit was the first to be instituted in applying the principle denying patentees the right to fix re-sale price of articles, which had been declared by the supreme court.

IS SERIOUSLY ILL

William Charlton is critically ill at the home of his brother, the result of a paralytic stroke which he suffered Monday night.

BIRTH RECORD.

A son arrived at the home of Herbert Harms and wife this morning at an early hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Adams of Van Buren avenue are the parents of a little boy that came to their home this morning.

STATE BOARDS GOOD FOR ADVISORY DUTY

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successor, but he has about as much to do with the policies and the work of these boards as he has with the hearing and determination of cases of law.

No Co-ordination.

"There is little or no co-ordination between these various bodies. Inspectors, examiners, investigators and employees of these various governing bodies, busy in the performance of their duties, are traveling over the state, some times several of them descending at the same time upon a little hamlet of two or three hundred inhabitants, where all examinations and investigations for all the state departments could be done by an able-bodied man in half a day. Salaries and traveling expenses are continually increasing, while in political campaigns the cry for economy goes merrily on.

"In Minnesota for some time there has been a feeling that there should be a thorough reorganization of these various offices, that they should be included in the executive department and should be under the control and direction of the executive himself or department officers selected by him. My predecessor in office appointed a committee of thirty citizens of the state, known as the 'Efficiency and Economy Commission.' They were asked to make a study of our system of government and to suggest changes if needed, to make the government an efficient one and an economical one.

Made Suggestions.

"The members of this body made a report to the last legislature and presented a proposed bill for enactment into law.

"Referring to the board system, the commission said:

"Students in political science are all agreed that the executive work should be done by individuals and not by boards. The average citizen has come to the same conclusion. The board system tends to delay and inefficiency. It dissipates responsibility. No one knows exactly who is to blame if work is badly done. Boards are necessary for legislative and judicial work. They are useful to give advice. They are not suited to administrative tasks. Moreover, under the board system, the governor has little control over the administration. The board members usually have overlapping terms. Each governor appoints only a minority. Each board is a government by itself."

"There can be no objection to the establishment of boards and commissions. The advice and assistance of men picked from the citizenry of the commonwealth for their intelligence, ability and worth cannot but be of great benefit to public officials and to the state itself, but their duties ought to be advisory and not executive."

The plan proposed in Minnesota was to consolidate all of these offices and divisions of government in five or six departments, each with a director appointed by the governor and responsible to him for the conduct of his department, but it met defeat in the legislature.

ADVERTISING ELKS CLAM BAKE

Over Score of Autos Loaded With Boosters Out Today

Over a score of automobiles, each loaded to capacity with boosters left Dixon this morning to tour in every direction, advertising the Elks' big clam bake which will be held at the Truman farm, Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 6. Each of the machines were bedecked with the national and Elks' colors and a large amount of catchy advertising matter was taken along for distribution in the cities and villages visited.

HILL IS MAKING GOOD

Clarence E. Hill, son of George W. Hill of this city, is making good with the Swift Packing Co. of Chicago, with whom he has been employed for about two years. He has charge of the southern Wisconsin territory and his trade has increased to such an extent that he now has two refrigerator cars of meat each week to supply his trade and has been given an assistant in the person of W. R. Kruger of Janesville, Wis. His many Dixon friends will be pleased to learn of his success.

William Hansen, wife and daughter of Erie, are visitors at the John Mitchell home on Fourth street.

Our Wednesday Evening Specials are worth watching for—see the special sale of Library Tables—just for tonight. Come and tell us which one you want.

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THREATS TO LYNCH, TROOPS CALLED OUT

Governor Orders Militia to Protect Negro in Illinois Jail.

Murphysboro, Ill., Aug. 25.—Governor Dunne has ordered a part of the fourth regiment, Illinois National guard, to Murphysboro to protect Deberry, negro, who will be placed on trial Monday on a charge of killing Mrs. James H. Martin.

The guardsmen are being sent here at the request of Judge Hartwell. There is talk of lynching Deberry, and Sheriff White requested assistance from the state. Deberry is in jail at Harrisburg.

PASSENGERS LEAP IN TIME

Clear Interurban Just Before Coal Cars Reduce It to Splinters.

Venice, Ill., Aug. 25.—Thirty-five passengers in a car on the St. Louis Granite City division of the McKinley system had narrow escapes from serious injury when five coal cars broke away from the motor which was drawing them up the Venice approach to the McKinley bridge, and backed down against the passenger car.

Albert Brammell of Granite City, motorman of the passenger car, seeing the danger, started to back his car away from the approaching coal cars, at the same time advising the passengers, most of whom were on their way to work in St. Louis, to jump from the car. After the passengers and conductor jumped, Brammell leaped from the car a moment or two before it was reduced to splinters. The coal cars were going forty miles an hour.

PIONEER ILLINOISAN DEAD

Dr. J. B. Crawford, Formerly of Chicago, Dies in Washington.

Gillespie, Ill., Aug. 25.—The funeral of the late Dr. J. B. Crawford, formerly of Gillespie, took place Saturday at Walla Walla, Wash., where he has been residing the last six years. Dr. Crawford died Aug. 22, in the eighty-ninth year of his age. He was a practicing physician in Gillespie forty years, and later engaged in the lumber business, in which he continued with his sons, John and James Crawford, in Walla Walla.

BAND CONCERT FRIDAY

The Dixon Marine band will give its weekly concert at the John Dixon park Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Ladies' Lace Trimmed Night Gowns 25c
\$1.00 Pure Silk, Figured Auto Scarfs 25c
New Velveta Fall Hats, ready to trim, crown and brim, each 25c
Girls' Corduroy Hats, 5 shapes 25c
Girl's School Dresses, ready to wear and well made, 6 to 14 years, only 25c
New White Satin Fall Hats, crown and brim, each 25c

Buckram Hat Shapes	Crash Toweling, never before, 2 yards	Men's Boston Pad Garters
12 of the latest 10c	5c	5c
Checked Crepe Dress Goods, per yard	Black Satine, yard	20 Sheets High Grade Tissue Paper
10c	10c	5c
42-in Seer-Sucker, yd	Ticking, yard	Perforated or Screen Bottom Sieves
10c	10c	10c
Envelopes, 5 pkgs	School Boys' Knickerbockers, 6 to 14 years	Well Made Pillow Cases
10c	25c	10c
14-qt Enamel Preserving Kettle with Wooden Handle	All 10c Hosiery, 3 for	Crepe Dress Goods, standard colors, yard
25c	25c	10c
Turkish Towels. We challenge competition for quality and size. 5 to 25	Heavy Diaper Flannel, yard	18-in Turkish Toweling, yard
	10c	15c
One lot Fancy Waisting, a big bargain, at yd	Mason Fruit Jar Caps, 3 for	Lace and Embroidery Trimmed Corset Covers
10c	5c	25c
All Gas Globes	Mercerized Gingham, first time ever, yard	All 10c Cakes, 3 for
10c	10c	25c
Full Gallon Enameled Coffee Pots	Folding and Covered School Lunch Boxes	10-qt Enameled Water Pails
25c	20c	25c
Mail Box, Paper Holder and Lock all for	12-qt. Double Tin Milk Pails	Japanese Crepe Dress Goods, white body with pink, blue, black, purple or yellow stripes, yd
10c	25c	10c
Silk Windsor Ties, all the Latest Colors	Satine Bloomers	Steel Fry Pans, any size
10c	25c	10c
10c Palmolive Soap, 2 for	17 qt. Enameled Dish Pans a giant for	Children's Rompers, good colors
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School Supplies of all kinds	Narrow, Silk-Finish Velvet Ribbon, yd	
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The Telegraph has employed the services of Geo. Murray as country circulator. John Thome still retains his position as solicitor and circulator for this paper.

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STEWARD

Steward, Aug. 24—Mrs. Joseph Carney left last week for an extended visit in Kansas, Montana, and California.

Mrs. Bowles and daughter Margaret, returned home Monday, after a three weeks' visit in Creston.

Mrs. Mary F. Byrd is spending the day in Waterman with Mrs. Atherton.

Mrs. A. Richardson and daughter Frances left Monday for a visit in Iowa.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Samuel Carney of Fertile Valley, were held here Monday afternoon.

Miss Julia O'Neal is spending a few weeks in Falls City, Neb., visiting here sister, Mrs. Stone.

Mrs. William Preston and children are spending a few days in Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown left Monday for an extended visit in Iowa.

Orlando Thompson of Harvey, Ill., spent a few days last week at the home of Mrs. L. A. Herrick.

Miss Olive Carney of Chicago returned home Monday to attend the funeral of her uncle.

Dean Hemenway and Amos Richardson returned home Tuesday after spending a couple of weeks camping in Wisconsin.

Quite a number from here attended the circus in Dixon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lutton are the happy parents of a baby girl.

Mrs. L. A. Herrick returned home Tuesday after visiting relatives in Chicago and Harvey, Ill., a few weeks.

Order your wedding invitations at the Dixon Telegraph office. We have them either printed or engraved. You may see samples any time upon request.

TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a.m.
123 Southern Exp. 11:10 a.m.
121 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p.m.

North Bound.
132 Waterloo Exp. 10:06 a.m.
120 Local Mail 5:10 p.m.
120 Local Exp. 8:19 p.m.
Freeport Freight 12:30 p.m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.
No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago
6 8:23 a.m. 6:45 a.m.
24 6:23 a.m. 9:05 p.m.
28 7:21 a.m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a.m.
18 8:05 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
20 11:19 a.m. dly 2:00 p.m.
20 11:01 a.m. dly ex Sun 2:35 p.m.
4 4:21 p.m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p.m.
700 4:15 p.m. Sun. only 7:25 p.m.
12 6:10 p.m. 8:40 p.m.

West Bound.
No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a.m. ex Sun 10:20 a.m.
99 7:10 a.m. Sun only 10:23 a.m.
12 10:30 a.m. 1:05 p.m.
19 12:15 p.m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p.m.
27 4:20 p.m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p.m.
11 6:05 p.m. 8:40 p.m.
25 6:10 p.m. 8:57 p.m.
17 9:35 p.m. 11:53 p.m.
*7 10:00 p.m. 12:28 a.m.
3 10:45 p.m. 1:57 a.m.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria
801 8:30 Peoria Pas 12:05 p.m.

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ASHTON

Ashton, Aug. 24—Mrs. Nathan Sanders and Meryl and Helen spent the week end in Franklin Grove at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Suter, returning Monday.

Miss Lucy Hart spent Monday in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Meister and children attended the circus in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Roessler motored to Dixon with her parents on their return to Freeport after a Sunday visit here, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Canfield of Minnesota are visiting his parents and old friends here.

The Philatheas will have a picnic supper today on the lawn of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Orner.

Supervisor Chas. Heibenthal, Mrs. Ervin Yenerick, Mrs. Roy Heibenthal and Mrs. Friend Smith and Orville attended the circus in Dixon.

George Garrett spent last week in Champaign with his brother James and family.

Miss Florence Hunt returned to Oak Park today after two weeks' visit at the homes of Wm. Hunt, Thos. Paddock, O. W. Griffith and Clinton Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Batchelor and Edwin Orner motored to Dixon to attend the circus.

Guy Linscott was taken to the hospital at Rochelle Thursday. A week ago Sunday he suffered an accident while riding a motorcycle.

Miss Ruth Zeller entertained Saturday with a serving party which all enjoyed immensely.

Vinton Thomas went to Dixon on Monday.

Miss Muriel Fee visited Zena Cheadle in Rockford last week. Zena returned with her for a visit here.

The Queen Esthers will be entertained this evening by Mrs. Fred Wagner in Bradford.

Stanwood and Andrus Griffith with Misses Elizabeth Andrus and Katharine and Myra Griffith attended the circus in Dixon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Klingebiel of De Kalb spent yesterday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Klingebiel.

A Chicago minister will fill the pulpit Sunday at 7:30 p. m. at the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Eller and Paul went to Chicago today, the former to visit, while Paul will join his father, Rev. Eller, and attend a second camp meeting.

Rev. Eller has been absent over Sunday attending Barrington camp meeting.

Misses Eva Hunt and Hilda McIntosh left Friday night for the Panama Exposition. Miss Kennedy of Byron left with the girls. They expect to visit the former's sister, Mrs. Fred McDermont in Davenport, Wash., while away.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Nickey and son returned to Chicago Monday after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Randall.

Miss Roberta Brown visited in Polo last week.

Mrs. George Beach was taken to the hospital at Rochelle today.

Mrs. Mary Huntington of Los Angeles spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson in Dixon. She returned here yesterday and is a guest of Mrs. Abbie Brewer.

Miss Mildred Griffith is entertaining some U. of I. friends at their cottage at the Assembly in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rutledge of Philadelphia returned to Rockford Friday after a business visit here.

Ashton has been well represented at the Franklin Grove chautauqua.

Mrs. Louis Bode and son of Memphis came Monday for several weeks visit at the Mrs. Martha Bode home.

Mrs. Rose Myers of Rochelle spent Sunday at the J. C. Wetzel home.

Miss Gertrude Richardson is home from a visit in Danville.

J. C. Griffith attended a meeting of the Soil association at Amboy Monday. He now has 52 names pledged for membership.

Dr. E. J. Brewer spent Sunday in Ashton.

Lee Center house movers began work Monday on the Wesley Beach cottage, to be moved to one of the O. W. Griffith lots on Killion Ave.

Mrs. E. J. Walker motored to Dixon Monday.

Workers began Monday to give the school building a thorough cleaning for the opening of school Sept. 6. The lawn is something of which Ashton is proud. The shrubbery planted last fall has nearly all bloomed this year.

Mrs. Taylor and son of Assumption are spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Ernestine Stephan.

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	Mixed White
Oats	32
Corn	73

Local Produce quotations.

	Pay	Sell
Creamery butter	31	
Dairy butter	28	
Eggs	17	22
Lard	11	16
Potatoes	40	65
Sweet corn	11	12
Poultry.		
Spring chickens	25	30
Chickens	18	22
Springers	14	
Hens	10	
Ducks, young or old	8	
Turkeys, young or old	8	
Geese	6	

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Dec	98%	98%	96%	97%	
May	100%	102%	107%	101%	

Corn—	Sept	74%	74%	73%	73%
Dec	63%	64	63%	63%	
May	64%	65%	64%	64%	

Oats—	Sept	37%	37%	37%	37%
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Pork—	Sept	1365	13708	1360	1365
Oct	1380	1390	1375	1380	

Lard—	Sept	802	807	802	807
Oct	812	820	812	820	

Ribs—	Sept	852	8528	847	847
Oct	865 <td>867 <td>860 <td>860</td> <td></td> </td></td>	867 <td>860 <td>860</td> <td></td> </td>	860 <td>860</td> <td></td>	860	

Receipts today—
Hogs—20,000.
Cattle—16,000.
Sheep—20,000.
Hogs left over—1000.
Hogs open strong at yesterday's average.

Mixed—625 @ 785.
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TIME MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to assure its dispatch.

East Mail.	
Train No. 6	3:00 a.m.
Train No. 28	6:55 a.m.
Train No. 20	10:40 a.m.
Train No. 4	3:55 p.m.
Train No. 12	5:40 p.m.

West Mail.	
Train No. 5	9:40 a.m.
Train No. 13	12:40 p.m.
Train No. 27	7:00 p.m.
Train No. 9	8:20 p.m.
Train No. 15	1:30 a.m.

South Mail.	
Train No. 119	6:55 a.m.
Train No. 123	10:40 a.m.
Train No. 131	4:50 p.m.

North Mail.	
Train No. 132	9:40 a.m.
Train No. 120	7:55 p.m.
Train No. 124	4:50 p.m.

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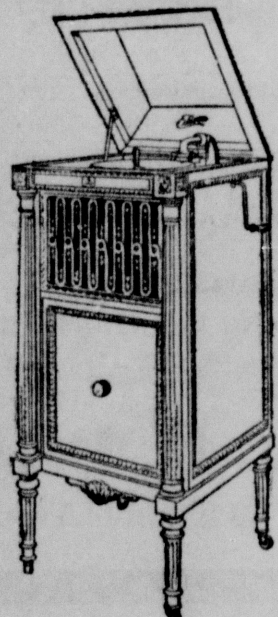
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Illinois Lutherans End Convention. Rock Island, Ill., Aug. 25.—The central Illinois district of the Lutheran churches has just ended its convention here.

Society of Friends Meet.

McNabb, Ill., Aug. 25.—The forty-first annual session of the Religious Society of Friends met near here.

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of highway, smooth as a floor and guaranteed to stay that way. The spaces between the brick are also filled with concrete. It will endure through many generations and in the long run, as the figures of the speakers explained, will be no more expensive than concrete.

Tax Is Small.

Under the law governing the construction of this road it cost the land owners of Ogle county a tax of two cents per acre for the two miles of road. Hon. James Wilson, in his speech, explained how the 260 miles of main roads in Ogle county could be built in this same way with a tax of 11 cents per acre for 25 years. If the present pitch of enthusiasm in Ogle maintains, the day is not far distant when the dreams of the road boosters in that county will be realized.

Wilson Talks.

Alex Anderson, Ogle county superintendent of highways, presided at the meeting. He first introduced Hon. James Wilson of the state highway commission, who gave a very interesting talk on the subject of the day. Mr. Wilson said that the two miles of brick highway cost Ogle county something like \$15,000, and he advocated the continuance of the plan and urged the building of such roads all through the county. Mr. Wilson expressed the sentiment that a change should be made in the Tice law providing that adjoining property owners in the country should pay a share of the expense of building these roads because of the added value to their farm lands. He said that the present road and bridge tax of Ogle county was 11 cents per acre and that that in 25 years, expended entirely on brick highways, such as has just been completed, would build all the state aid roads in Ogle county.

State Road Expert.

H. E. Bilger, chief engineer of road building for the state road department at Springfield, was the next speaker, and he gave it as his opinion that the road constructed as the Ogle county road is, with a concrete base and a vitrified brick wearing surface, is the best road that is commercially possible in this state and that it will not only outlast any other road, concrete included, but that it is no more expensive. His figures, explaining this statement were: that a brick road costs about \$1.90 per square yard and a concrete road about \$1.20 per square yard, but that the upkeep of a concrete road is two cents per yard per year as against one cent on the brick road; that the concrete road must be resurfaced in 15 or 20 years, which costs about 75 cents per square yard, etc., and the total cost of a concrete road at the end of 25 years is \$3.19 and the total cost of a brick road at the end of a same period is \$3.10 per square yard.

Cartwright Speaks.

Judge Cartwright was called upon for a few words and the eminent jurist, while not pretending to be a road building expert, gave very sound advice on the subject and entertained his audience in his own interesting way.

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Congressman McKenzie.

Hon. John C. McKenzie complimented Ogle county on her enterprise and progressive spirit. He talked of the practical side of the road question and told of the great value that good roads are, not only to the community in which they are situated, but to the country at large. He pointed out the present great use of roads in Europe by governments of the continent in their military actions and suggested that permanent roads would be of great benefit to this nation if it became necessary to move armies through the country, although he hoped and trusted that the roads to be built would be only for peaceful enjoyment and betterment. Congressman McKenzie's speech was very eloquent and inspiring and was the expression of a man who has studied and learned and who has power of insight and comprehension.

The Next President?

In closing his talk, Congressman McKenzie asked his audience to take a good look at the next speaker, Senator Sherman, and at the next primaries to vote for L. Y. Sherman for President of the United States.

Hon. L. Y. Sherman, Senator from Illinois, and the man who is being spoken of in political circles for the next G. O. P. candidate for the executive chair of the nation, was introduced as the speaker of the day, and he talked at length in his interest compelling manner. Senator Sherman apologized in behalf of Homer Tice, the father of the present road law, for the latter's non-attendance at the meeting. Representative Tice was unable to be present because of business matters.

The burden of Senator Sherman's talk was "The Hog-backs" in the Roads," and he is for anything that would take them out. He truly said that in many cases where macadam and gravel roads are being built at great expense under the township way of building roads that the highways are in worse condition when the work is completed than they were before the road builders started. He said that many of the country roads he traveled over in Illinois left a most unfavorable impression, both in a physical and mental way, on him, and he favored a change in the road building laws that would put the superintending of road building in the hands of the county board and take it out of the hands of the highway commissioners of the townships, for he felt that roads were not simply a matter to be decided by each individual township as they are used by the people of the whole country and therefore ceased to concern only the community in which they were located. Senator Sherman said that Indiana and even Missouri have better roads than Illinois, and he hoped for great improvements in the highways of this state under the new order of things. Mr. Sherman made a statement concerning farming conditions in the southern part of the state that was interesting to the farmers of Ogle county. He said that down in the "rain belt" from Springfield to Cairo the crops had suffered immensely from a great downpour of rain. He said that seven inches of rain fell in eighteen hours and that the fields were flooded. The small grain suffered the most and in many cases the shocks were turning green and the grain was sprouting.

Senator Sherman is a highly interesting talker, and he always knows his subject. His words, as those of the other speakers, were ample reward to those who came to hear. Nearly a dozen automobile loads of Lee county men attended the meeting. Politicians were greatly in evidence and there was considerable lowden and Sherman talk.

SHOOTING ACCIDENT IS FATAL

Youth Shot When Hunting Is Dead From His Wound.

East St. Louis, Ill., Aug. 25.—Oscar Hamphoefer, eighteen years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamphoefer of Alhambra, Ill., who was shot accidentally Sunday when hunting doves with two companions, died in the Deaconess hospital in East St. Louis.

Young Hamphoefer was standing in the rear of a buggy while his two companions, Milton Barnes and Alonzo Oswald, both about his age, were seated in front. A shotgun leaning against the back of the seat slipped through the bottom of the buggy and was discharged. Hamphoefer was shot in the left shoulder.

Painters Retarded by Bees. Rochelle, Ill., Aug. 25.—Painters hired to paint the Central school roused seven swarms of bees on various parts of the building. The painters finally were compelled to paint only between 3 a. m. and 6 a. m., before the bees had awakened.

Repairs All Township Roads in Day. Richfield, Ill., Aug. 25.—Richfield township held a good roads day. Practically all the main roads in the township were graded and dragged and damaged sections of the roads were also repaired.

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